Colorado Department of Human Services Statewide Strategic Use Fund (SSUF)

Grants Funded ~ Round II

Entity Name	Area Served	Grant Award	Theme	Services to be Provided
Boys & Girls Club of Larimer County	Statewide (14 counties)	\$600,000	Youth development	Pregnancy prevention program provided to eligible youth outside of school hours in clubs across the state. Includes positive youth development activities.
Catholic Charities of the Diocese of Pueblo	Pueblo, Fremont & Crowley counties	\$265,058	Parenting	Home visitation and parenting education, including mental health services, birth to 12. Good Dads curriculum will be provided to dads in the prison system.
Colorado Foundation for Public Health & the Environment	Statewide	\$317,491	Capacity building	Create fiscal and family resource guides regarding a variety of health and human services available to families throughout Colorado.
Colorado Office of Professional Development - Community College of Denver	Statewide	\$657,889	Childcare	Provide educational stipends for child care providers to increase their level of education and commitment to the field
Colorado Statewide Parent Coalition	Boulder County	\$629,468	School readiness	Enhance language literacy for Latino children in poverty, birth to 5.
CU Denver - E.N.D. Violence Program	Statewide	\$759,517	Domestic Violence	Serve children who witness violence in their home. Train school staff to identify these children. Excellent pilot idea under CWAC action report.
Denver Indian Family Resource Center	Metro Denver	\$324,905	Family support	Provide Family Preservation services to prevent Native American kids from being removed from their homes.

Durango Adult Education Center, Inc.	Southwest	\$415,538	Literacy	Enhance literacy skills among low-income populations in southwestern Colorado.
ECDC/African Community Center	Metro Denver	\$345,055	Refugee Assistance	Provide services to refugees, focusing on the youth.
Family Tree, Inc.	Denver & Jefferson Counties	\$465,644	Housing	Housing and family support services, focusing on families living in motels on Colfax.
Huerfano County Dept. of Social Services	Southern Colorado (13 counties)	\$958,367	Family support	Provide services, using a continuum of care model, that primarily focus on youth and family leadership, community attachment, education, and employment.
Good Neighbor Garage	Front Range	\$312,903	Employment support	Employment support to the working poor by providing reliable vehicles so they can maintain jobs.
Jefferson County Workforce Center	Statewide (Denver, Northwest, Upper Arkansas, & Rural Resort)	\$292,250	Employment support	Implement the highly-successful SOURCE model of wage progression and employment support. This unique work support program works directly with employers, inside their companies.
Mental Health Center of Denver	Statewide	\$519,342	Mental health	Create a network of mental health providers to meet the needs of low-income deaf and hard-of-hearing populations.
Mesa County Partners	Mesa, Denver & Larimer counties	\$256,964	Mentoring - youth	Provide mentoring services to youth via a new service delivery model.
Mi Casa Resource Center	Metro Denver	\$451,585	Workforce development	Expand workforce development services through a collaborative model. Primary focus is on sector-based job training strategies.

Mile High Council on Alcoholism & Drug Abuse - Life Space Project	Metro Denver	\$342,513	Family support	Parenting program for victims of domestic violence, including employment, parenting, and health services.
Mountain Resource Center, Inc.	Park, Summit, Teller, and rural Jeffco	\$785,443	Family support	Expand successful Parents as Teachers program into referrals for workforce development, emergency services, and more.
Otero County Dept. of Human Services	Otero & Crowley counties	\$190,046	Family support	Expand the Crossroads curriculum to TANF-eligible families, including children in school.
Project 1.27	Front Range	\$271,476	Adoptions	Recruit and train adoptive parents.
Rural Solutions	Northeast	\$308,932	Family support	Deliver a companion curriculum to Bridges Out of Poverty that is designed to work directly with the families living in poverty, helping them to become stronger and self-sufficient.
Second Wind Fund, Inc.	Statewide	\$381,800	Mental health youth	Provide mental health services to low-income youth who are at-risk for suicide. Build capacity statewide for providing mental health services to youth.
The Conflict Center	Metro Denver	\$137,814	Youth development	Provide soft skills training to youth and staff in transitional housing and Residential Treatment Centers.

Total awarded = \$9,990,000